FOR PETERSBURG

Mammoth Plant Will Be Built by American Tobacco Company.

JUDGE WATSON TO SPEAK

List of Sponsors and Maids of Honor for Veterans Reunion at Pulaski.

The Times-Dispatch Bureau. 5 Bollingbrook Street, (Telephone 1485).

Petersburg. Va., September 16. An article appeared in a recent issue of the United States Tobacco Journal, of New York, which said that the American Tobacco Company has announced that negotiations for the esnounced that negotiations to the cablishment of a mammoth topacco factory at Petersburg. Va., are under way, and will probably be concluded in the near future. The company has had its eye on the Southern city for some time past, and had concluded that it would be to its advantage to locate there. Representatives of the cate there. Representatives of the empany have been in Petersburg rey securing options on property the Atlantic Coast Line Rail-

The above is confirmatory of rumors that have been in circulation for sor time of the contemplated establishment of a large new tobacco factory in the lower section of the city. It has been known that options were being taken on property on Lombard Street and vicinity, as was believed, for this special purpose.

Fire in Prince George.

The barn and stable on the property

The barn and stable on the property of the Lee's Mill Fishing and Hunting of the Lee's Mill Fishing and Hunting Club in Prince George County were destroyed by fire last night. The destroyed by fire last night. The stockholders of the club are, in the stockholders of the club are also are a destroyed by fire last flow of the club are, in the stockholders of the club are, and A. J. Tyas occupies it as tenant. It is not known how the fire originated. Mr. Tyas lost about 4.000 pounds of fodder of the club are the stockholders of the club are the c

For the State

Sponsor-in-Chief, Mrs. Annie Cabelt
Wooding Danville; first maid of honor,
Mrs. J. Overton Boatwright, Danville;
second maid of honor, to be selected.

to have been due to the company's negligence, was set for trial in Sussex by strengular work it was saved. Circuit Court to-day. Collins was employed as engineer on the company's road and was killed last spring while off duy. The suit was spring while plunged into total darkness shortly conducted to the company's road and was killed last spring while off duy. The suit was spring while off duy. to-day by the payment of \$1,000 to the

last, accidentally fell and sustained ly against great covered injuries. One of her arms was aid was called for.



And they are the kind you'll enjoy seeing your

Never since dress changed from leaves to weaves have there been such becoming and practical styles as these Berry Knickerbocker Suits for fall. In colors, new effects—new blues, new browns, new grays, new combinations. Prices, \$3.50 to \$15.

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SPECIAL.-The Boys' Suits remaining from our summer sale are of weights which may be comfortably worn up to snow-fall. The sale prices still continue on them! Take the tip and rig your boy up for school here.



and his crop of oats cut from a lot of eight acres. He had no insurance. The building was partially insured.

Judge Watson to Speak.

Judge Watson at the Academy of Music to-morrow night. Congressman Kobert Turnbull was invited to meet Judge Watson at the same time, but his friends to whom the matter was respectively.

collected, \$157. High Street leads with an average register of 514, and an average attendance of 371. Full List of Sconsors and Maida. The following is a full lost of sponsors and maids-of honor for the snuual reunion of the Grand Camp of Confederate Veterans, which meets in Pulaski City, September 25: For the State Sponsor-in-Chief.

Several Buildings, Among Them Three Tobacco Warehouses,

Jones, Danville, maid, Miss Bessie Carter, Danville.

Sixth District—Sponsor, Miss Cary M. Brooks, Roanoke: maid. Miss Margaret W. Jenkins, Christiansburg.

Seventh District—Sponsor, Miss Margaret W. Jenkins, Christiansburg.

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Seventh District—Sponsor, Miss Margaret Rela Peale, Harrisonburg: maid.

Was Lead State and Grain Wilson for President of the United States, and, in the effice of Governor, would go far toward placting virginia in the very front fank of the progressive States of the Union." miss Jean Harris, Harrisonburg.

Eighth District—Sponsor, Miss Janet Herndon Bibb, Louisa; Maid, Miss Eliza Hamilin, Louisa.

Ninth District—Sponsor, Mrs. Mary Gibson, Jonesville.

Tenth District—To be selected.

Denses Sulf Companying

Marchouse, both of which were entired to consumed. It then attacked the big warehouse of the British-American Tobacco Company, and after complete ly destroying this building, burned the nearby Dodson home and then the Imperial Tobacco Warehouse and the American Tobacco Warehouse. In one of these buildings there was no stock, but the other two tobacco warehouses. Demage Suit Compromised.

The suit of the administratix of Samuel C. Collins against the Gray Lumber Company for \$10,000 damages for the death of her husband, alleged to have been due to the company of this plant also would be burned, but

and was killed last spring while plunged into total darkness shortly litts. The suit was compromised after the blaze started.

Late to-night the Bell residence was tiff, and the case was dismissed in flames and indications pointed to its the docket.

Mrs. Sallie Hardaway, residing on will be no further spread, as this Apollo Street, in alighting from a house stands off by itself, trolley car near her home night before. The local department fought valuant-

sustained by against great odds, but no ou

Bichard L. Besse.
Saiuda, Middiesex County, September M.
J. Normers Powell.
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Worsham, Prince Edward County, September II.
Surry Courthouse, September M.
Edward W. Namdors.
Houston, Hailtax County, September 21
J. TAYLOR ELLISON,
Chairmen State Democratic Committee. Permits were issued by the Building Inspector yesterday as follows:

L. W. McVeigh, to build a two-story brick dwelling on the north side of Bostoment Avenue between Davis and Addition Streets, to cost Stott. A permit was also granted to Mr. McVeigh to build upon the same site a two-story brief garage to cost 560. No. B. M. Jacobe and H. M. Ross, to repair a return dwelling at 80 West Twelth Street, fouth Richmond. 500.

R. E. Brown and Harry M. Lander, to re-pair a brick dwelling at 1300 Portor Street.

Abingdon. Washington County, Septemb

Gate City, Scott County, September M. Charlottesville, October 7. Harrisonburg, October 21. Steam Evolyn Byrd. Staunton, September 22. H. D. Flood.
Cumberland Courthouse, September 24. Sichard L. Beebe.

went to lillinois, where such a sys-tem is in force, and while there gath-ered together some arguments in op-position to the claims of his oppon-ents, of which he made effective use before the committees of the General

Assembly.

To a large extent, Mr. Davis's forte
is organizing the farmers to get what
they want in the way of legislation.

Local Indorsement.

The Loudoun Mirror, discussing the possibility of his candidacy, says he is "one of the best equapped men in

W. T. Lindey, of 1629 Chaffin Street, was yesterday recognized by Megistrate H. S. Suday for his appearance on Wednesday, September H. to answer to the charge of running his automobile on the Henrico County reads after nightfall without Highla. A second warrant leaved for Lindsey charges him with reckiess driving. The alleged offense occurred on Saturday night.

MENTIONED FOR GOVERNOR

WESTMORELAND DAVIS.

NEW NEWSPAPER LAW WILL BE ENFORED

same time, be resented as a censorship

First Returns Under Act Must the making of returns a considerable Be Made by October

Washington, September 16.—Post-master-General Hitchcock to-day is-sued instructions for carrying into ef-fect the new newspaper and periodical Turnbull was invited to meet Judge Watson at the same time, but his friends, to whom the matter was referred, declined to have him appear in joint discussion. Judge Watson will be introduced by William M. McIlwaine. Methodist Sunday School Union Association in the high Street Church yesterday afternoon was very largely attended. The several schools took prominent parts in the exercises. There are eight schools in the association and the reports received from them were all of an encouraging character. West Street School was awarded the banner for a sambling joint. He paid the fine attendance, its per cent being 71. The aggregate organization of the schools for the past month was: Average register, 1,338; average attendance, 1. 2864; percent of attendance, 6.; money collected, \$157. High Street leads with an average attendance of 371.

On July 1, 1912, there were 25,144 newspapers and periodicals enjoying second class mail privileges. There were 21,514 dailies, 1,712 weeklies, 5,277 monthlies, 1,361 quarterlies and 1,785 having other periods of issue. Of these, all except about 1,500 exempted publications will be affected by the new law. all editorial of other leading ter appearing in a newspaper or magazine for the publication of which pay is accepted or promised, must be marked "advertisement," under penalty of a fine or not less than \$50 or more than \$500.

"Although this law was not favored by the Post-Office Department," said

by the Post-Office Department," said Postmaster-General Hitchcock to-day, "it will be administered faithfully and impartially. In framing the act, Congress doubtless had in mind then leading dally newspapers, but it will affect also nearly 18,000 weeklies. Many

Three Tobacco Warehouses,

Second maid of honor, to be selected.

For the District—Sponsor, Miss Annie
Lash, Newport News, maid, Miss Lucy
Brown, 169 South Third Street, Richmord,
Third District—Sponsor, Miss Mary
Judith Smith, Suffolk; maid, Miss Mary
Yestend District—Sponsor, Miss Mary
Judith Smith, Suffolk; maid, Miss Jane
Third District—Sponsor, Miss Mary
Cartie, 15 North Twenty-minth Street,
Richmord; maid, Miss Jane Wingfield,
Sie West Grace Street, Richmord.
Fourth District—Sponsor, Miss Grace
Waiton, Farmville.
Fifth District—Sponsor, Miss Calva

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eay for consumption. Mother Superior permits this testimonial. (Signed), "SISTER MARIE. "Sisters of St. Francis." Eckman's Alterative is effective in Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, Throat and Lung Troubles and in upbuilding the system. Does not contain poisons, opiates or habit-forming drugs, For sale by Owens & Minor Drug Co. and other leading druggists. Ask for book-let telling of recoveries, and write to Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa., for additional evidence.

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Gordon Metal Co. Richmond Va.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

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Chapel Hall, N. C., September 18.—In one of the most scatcing denunciations ever emanuting from a pulpit in Chapel Hill, Bev. W. O. Stanberry, pastor of the Methodist Church, in his sermen Sanday night branded the four sophomorus that engaged in the hazing even-pode here on Friday which resulted in the death of William Rand as cowards and said they were deserving of any sympathy.

ards and onto the property of the secondary of the college authorities very bitter for allowing the practice of hasing to continue in the institution in forms of premiscounty shooting fre-

feels confident it will be complete by the middle of October. This does not mean that the place will then be available for camping purposes. Buildings must be out up and many things attended to, before this will be possible. But teams may go to the ground and practice and Mad. 2586. compete before November 1. The butts, made of concrete backed by sand, are

nearly done.

nearly done.

Major A. B. Percy, of Lynchburg. the ordinanct officer for the Virginia Volunteers, has already urged the selection of members of a rifle team, one or two from each company of infantry, to go to the range for practice purposes. This may be carried out.

No final disposition has been approximated to the carried out.

Year-Mrs. Post Still on

Property.

This City Mobilization Point in

Next War-Dates for Judi-

cial Hearings.

Shooting will be done on the State's

rifle range at Virginia Beach before

he end of the year, if the expecta-

tions of Adjutant-General Sale are

realized. He has returned from an in-

the work is progressing well. He

"In my judgment—and I so ex-pressed it to the Congress—the pro-vision will be hurtful, as it will re-quire the continuous use of valuable space in the publications and, at the

same time, be resented as a censorship of the press. One of the greatest difficulties now encountered in the enforcement of the law relating to the second class mail privilege is that the post-office department is compelled by law to make inquiry into so many aspects of the private business of publishers. This gives rise to the complaint—ill-founded in my opinion—that the government interferes need-

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that the government interferes needlessly with the prvlieges of the press.
"My judgment is that it should be
the constant aim, not only of the
Congress but of the post-offic department, to lessen the necessity for supervision of the public press in the
enactment—and—administration—of
postal laws."
On July 1, 1912, there were 28,144
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At the Hotels

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